

HOUSE BILL No. 1148

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 10-16-11-2.

Synopsis: Resettlement bonus for active duty veterans. Allows the governor's civil and military contingency fund to be used for any payment or purpose specified by the general assembly. Provides for a resettlement bonus of \$500 for certain returning veterans. Appropriates money from the state general fund to the contingency fund to pay for the bonuses.

Effective: July 1, 2007.

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January 11, 2007, read first time and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

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PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2006 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning state offices and administration and to make an appropriation.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1 SECTION 1. IC 10-16-11-2 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
2 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: Sec. 2. **(a)** The governor's
3 civil and military contingency fund:

4 (1) remains in the state treasury; and

5 (2) shall be drawn on the warrant of the governor:

6 (A) for the expenses as may accrue under this chapter; and

7 (B) to pay the expenses of all encampments ordered or
8 approved by the governor, inspections, courts-martial, boards
9 of inquiry, inspection, examination, and survey, and pay of
10 officers and soldiers on state active duty.

11 **(b) The fund may be used for any payment or purpose specified**
12 **by the general assembly. For purposes specified by the general**
13 **assembly, money shall be drawn on the warrant of the person or**
14 **entity specified by the general assembly to administer the program**
15 **for which the money is being drawn.**

16 SECTION 2. [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007] **(a) For purposes of this**
17 **SECTION, "active duty" refers to members of the Indiana**



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1 National Guard who have been called to duty and are under the
2 jurisdiction of Title 10 of the United States Code.

3 (b) For purposes of this SECTION, "veteran" means a member
4 of the Indiana National Guard who was in active duty status under
5 subsection (a) and who has returned to status under the
6 jurisdiction of Title 32 of the United States Code.

7 (c) Each veteran who returns from active duty after January 1,
8 2003, and before June 30, 2010, shall receive a resettlement bonus
9 of five hundred dollars (\$500) from the state. The bonuses shall be
10 paid from the governor's civil and military contingency fund and
11 shall be administered by the adjutant general.

12 (d) There is appropriated to the governor's civil and military
13 contingency fund from the state general fund an amount sufficient
14 to pay the bonuses under subsection (c) for the period beginning
15 July 1, 2007, and ending June 30, 2010.

16 (e) This SECTION expires July 1, 2010.

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